

2016 S2 - Individual Report for MATHS 2104 Numerical Methods UG (Lewis Mitchell)

Student Experience of Learning and Teaching (eSELT)

Project Audience 204 Responses Received 53 Response Ratio 26%

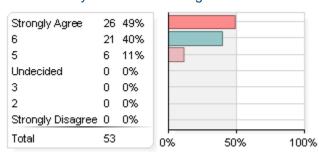
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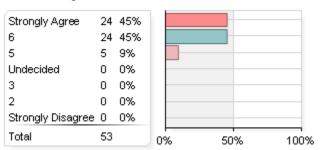
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Competency Statistics	Value
Mean	6.10
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-1.09

1. Has clearly identified learning outcomes.



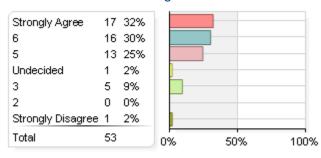
2. Is well organised.



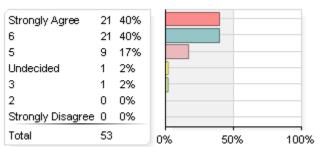
Statistics	Value
Mean	6.38
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.69
% Broad Agreement	100%

Statistics	Value
Mean	6.36
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.65
% Broad Agreement	100%

3. Has a workload that is appropriate for the achievement of its learning outcomes.



4. Uses appropriate strategies to engage me in my learning.

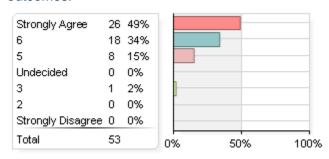


Statistics	Value
Mean	5.66
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-1.37
% Broad Agreement	87%

Statistics	Value
Mean	6.13
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.90
% Broad Agreement	96%

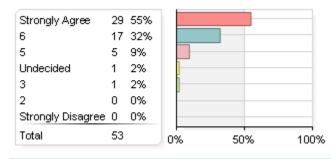
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5. Uses appropriate online resources and technologies to help me achieve its learning outcomes.



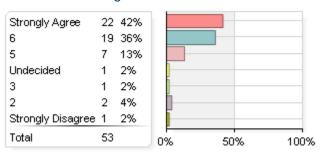
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Mean	6.28
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.86
% Broad Agreement	98%

7. Helps me to develop my thinking skills (eg. problem solving, critical analysis).



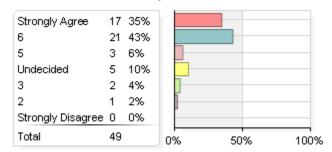
Statistics	Value
Mean	6.36
Median	7.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.88
% Broad Agreement	96%

6. Uses methods of assessment that help me achieve its learning outcomes.



Statistics	Value
Mean	5.94
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-1.38
% Broad Agreement	91%

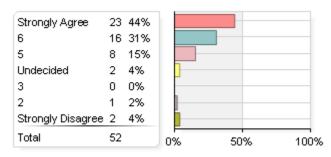
8. Has a learning environment that takes into account student diversity.



Statistics	Value
Mean	5.88
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-1.24
% Broad Agreement	84%

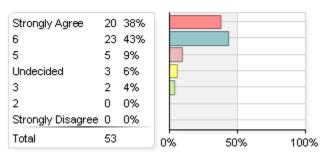
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9. My learning in this course is supported by effective feedback.



Statistics	Value
Mean	5.94
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-1.43
% Broad Agreement	90%

10. Overall, I am satisfied with the quality of this course.

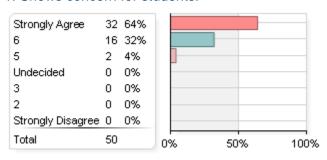


Statistics	Value
Mean	6.06
Median	6.00
Standard Deviation	+/-1.03
% Broad Agreement	91%

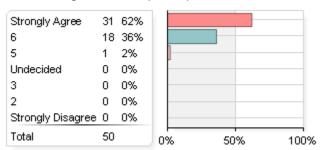
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Competency Statistics	Value
Mean	6.53
Median	7.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.64

1. Shows concern for students.



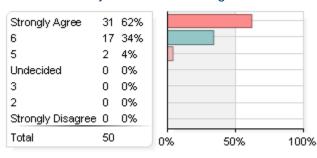
2. Encourages student participation.



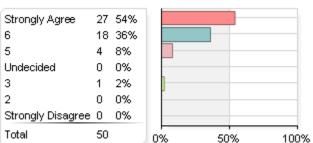
Statistics	Value
Mean	6.60
Median	7.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.57
% Broad Agreement	100%

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Mean	6.60
Median	7.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.53
% Broad Agreement	100%

3. Stimulates my interest in learning in this course.



4. Gives clear explanations.

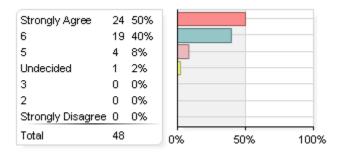


Statistics	Value
Mean	6.58
Median	7.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.57
% Broad Agreement	100%

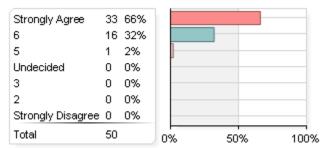
Statistics	Value
Mean	6.40
Median	7.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.81
% Broad Agreement	98%

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5. Provides useful feedback.



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Mean	6.38
Median	6.50
Standard Deviation	+/-0.73
% Broad Agreement	98%

Statistics	Value
Mean	6.64
Median	7.00
Standard Deviation	+/-0.53
% Broad Agreement	100%

What are the best aspects of Lewis Mitchell's teaching?

Comment

Gave clear explanations, made himself available for consulting and any extra help, provided helpful feedback providing lots of interesting real world example

Good at teaching, good at communicating, has a very effective teaching style. Clearly loves what he does and shows heaps of enthusiasm when lecturing. Is a little bit unconventional in a good way, and goes against some of the university norms. Uses some unconventional ways to engage with students (such as twitter) which is cool. Very responsive with both email and the discussion board, which is super useful, and good to see.

Can get in touch through twitter for quick questions, a real life saver at times.

Ensures he has explained everything thoroughly.

You did a great job teaching this subject. Thanks Lewis

He engages well in lectures, which is made more difficult as Numerical Methods is a difficult course

He is engaging, structures his lectures and content so that they are really approachable and prepares us well for assessment with relevant examples and problems in tutorials and practicals.

enthusiasm and demonstrated understanding

His enthusiasm and passion for the content and applications

Lewis is very excited about the topics he teaches and shows real examples of the techniques used. This makes lectures quite interesting. Lewis is also fantastic at helping students who don't understand the content.

Clear, enthusiastic and always very helpful.

He tries to make the content relevant to us by showing us examples of how/where/when the techniques we are learning can be used. He is also very engaging and I like that he cares about doing what's best for us. He is approachable and I always look forward to his lectures. He also wrote some cool assignments for us, which I really enjoyed.

Lewis always has time for questions from students and brings an energy to lectures which makes them more engaging

Lewis is very friendly and approachable, and explains the course content very well. He is always happy to go over things again to make sure that they make sense, and is very helpful in consulting times as well. He is very active on the discussion board (and twitter!) which provides a lot of help. He also listens to students and does what they like best (e.g. using the document camera over the whiteboard).

Excellent explanations and organisation. Quizzes are a great idea.

Good lecture

Lewis is good.

Willingness to repeat theory when required until students are satisfied.

Makes lectures interesting! I also like how he's always happy to help clear up confusion or ambiguity.

Very good communicator and is interested in the success of his students!

Lewis Mitchell could improve student learning by:

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dont skip steps in derivations

At times gets a little bit too down with the kids and tries a bit too hard. Makes a few bad jokes.

Making some assignments a little easier, but not by too much

n/a

Better coordinate the teaching quality of the tutorial sessions.

I know I just said that I liked that you care about what students want but I reckon you should stick to your guns and use the whiteboard (screw the people at home)! Also, can you put the voting stuff on myuni (or even better, on the roll) because people with twitter can't vote.

Quiz solutions would be nice:)

He is very good

not assuming all his students have twitter!

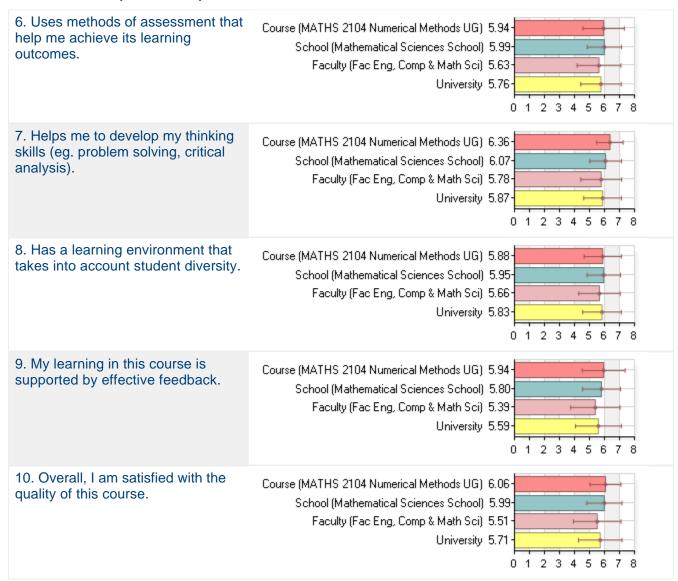
2016 S2 Comparison Statistics

Mean (average valid student responses between 1 and 7) and StandardDev (Standard deviation of valid student responses) are used for comparison statistics between Course, School, Faculty and University and Individual Teacher, School, Faculty and University.

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